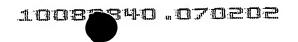


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FORM PTO 1390 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE	ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER						
TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES	CHEMMT-206						
DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)	U.S. APPLICATION NO, (If known, see 37 CF,R 1.5)						
CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. INTERNATIONAL FILING DATES	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED						
PCT/EP00/09193 20 September 2000	30 Septemer 1999						
METHOD FOR APPLYING MANGANESE PHOSPHATE LAYERS							
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Klaus-Dieter NITTEL, Detlev SEIFERT and Ralf STICKLER							
1. x This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.							
2. This is a <b>SECOND</b> or <b>SUBSEQUENT</b> submission of items concerning a filing 35 U.S.C. 371							
3. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371 (f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.							
4. The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (PCT Article 31).							
5. X A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2))							
a. X is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).							
b. X has been communicated by the International Bureau.							
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a. is attached hereto.	•						
b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).							
7. Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT A	rticle 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3))						
a. are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International areas are attached hereto)							
b. have been communicated by the International Bureau.	-						
c. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amend							
d. have not been made and will not be made.	have not been made and will not be made.						
8. An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under F	An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)).						
9. An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(4)).	An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(4)).						
An English language translation of the annexes to the International Prelim Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(5)).							
Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:							
11. x An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.							
12. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compli	iance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.						
13. A FIRST preliminary amendment.	A FIRST preliminary amendment.						
14. A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.	A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.						
15. A substitute specification.							
16. A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.							
17. A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PC	T Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821 - 1.825.						
18. A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C.	A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).						
19. A second copy of the English language translation of the international ap	A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).						
20. Other items or information:							

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17. x The following fees are submitted:			CALCULATIONS PTO USE ONLY			
BASIC NATIONAL FEE (37 CFR 1.492 (a) (1) – (5)):						
Neither international preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) nor international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO						
And International Se-	arch Report not prepared b	y the EPO or JPO	.\$1040.00			
USPTO but Internation		ed by the EPO or JPO				
but international sear	rch fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2	CFR 1.482) not paid to USP )) paid to USPTO	O . \$740.00			
but all claims did not		Article 33(1)-(4)	\$710.00			
International prelimi And all claims satisf	nary examination fee (37 C ied provisions of PCT Arti	CFR 1.482) paid to USPTO cle 33(1)-(4)	\$100.00			
ENTER APPROPRIATE BASIC FEE AMOUNT =			\$ 890.00			
Surcharge of \$ for furnishing the oath or declaration later than			s 130.00			
20 x 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492 (e)).			100.00			
CLAIMS	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE			
Total claims	-20 =	0	X	\$		
Independent claims	1-3 =	0	X	\$ \$		
MULTIPLE DEPENDE	N1 CLAIM(s) (if appli	L OF ABOVE CALC		\$ 890.00		
Applicant claims sr				\$ 1020.00		
Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above Are reduced by ½.		l	<u> </u>			
			UBTOTAL =	\$ 1020.00	,	
Processing fee of \$20 x 30 month		ishing the English translaned priority date (37 CFR		\$ 130.00		
		TOTAL NATI	ONAL FEE =	\$ 1,150.00		
Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21 (h)). Assignment						
Must be accompanied by	appropriate cover she	et (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31)	+	\$		
( per property).  TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =			\$ 1,150.00			
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a. A check in the amount of \$ \$1150.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed.						
b. X Please charge my Deposit Account No. 50-0624 in the amount of \$ \$1,150.00						
To cover the above fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.						
c. x The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required or credit						
Any overpaym	ent to my Deposit Acc	ount No. 50-062	. A duplic	ate copy of this sheet is e	enclosed.	
NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137 (a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.						
SEND ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO:						
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